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**NOTICE OF APPEAL  
TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision dated November 12, 2009 finally rejecting claims 1, 4-5, 7, 10, 13-16, and 19-21.

The Appeal Fee of \$540.00 as set forth in 37 C.F.R. 1.17(b) may be charged to Deposit Account No. 50/2762. If the fee is insufficient, the balance may be charged to the account of the undersigned, Deposit Account No. 50/2762, Ref. No. A0781-701810.

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